



9th June 2022

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Photography Trip: London Viewpoints - Thursday 16th June 2022

As part of the student's photography GCSE they need to complete several coursework projects which count for 60% of the overall GCSE. In order for them to get as much out of the projects as possible, students would benefit from visiting more than one point of interest in order to fulfil their briefs and complete a variety of photoshoots. This will be a walking photography tour of London.

We will start our tour in the city, making our way towards London Bridge and over the river to Borough Market, where there will be more opportunities for photo shoots. After lunch we will continue our journey along Southbank towards the old power station, also known as the Tate Modern, where we will spend a couple of hours focusing on the 'Personal Identity' project which the students have been completing up to now. This trip is a fantastic opportunity and will be a great experience for all students, having a whole day dedicated to their photography.

We will be travelling to London by train, so I would ask that you get your son/daughter to Harlow Town train station no later than 9.15am. We will also be arriving back into Harlow Town train station at 4.00pm, so please can you make arrangements for their return home from the station.

Students are expected to wear suitable casual clothes and **sensible walking shoes or trainers** as there will be a lot of walking. Please advise them to bring a waterproof jacket if it is forecast to rain, or alternatively sun cream if it is forecast to be hot. They should also bring a notebook, pen and a packed lunch.

The cost of the trip will be £15.00. This covers all travel costs and insurance into London. There is a shop at the Tate Modern and an array of food stalls at Borough Market, if they wish to bring any money.

Please return the consent form (If you are paying via ParentPay, consent will be included, if paying via cash please ask your child to collect a consent form from Student Services) by Tuesday 14th June. Should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me on c.richards@passmoresacademy.com

Yours faithfully

Miss Richards
Head of Graphics & Photography